Senate Amendment 3493

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Amend Senate File 604 as follows:
         Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the
    3 following:
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                        NEW SECTION. 422.11T COMMERCIAL
   5 PROPERTY TAX CREDIT.
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   6 1. The taxes imposed under this division, less the 7 credits allowed under sections 422.12 and 422.12B,
   8 shall be reduced by a commercial property tax credit.
   9 To qualify for this credit, the taxpayer shall have
  10 paid property tax during the tax year levied on
  11 property that is assessed as improved commercial
  12 property for property tax purposes, and the assessed
13 value of such improved commercial property owned by
  14 the taxpayer does not exceed, in the aggregate
1 15 statewide, three hundred thousand dollars.
  16 For purposes of this section, "improved commercial 17 property" means land containing one or more structures
  18 that are being put to productive use.
          2. The total amount of tax credit that may be
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  20 claimed by a taxpayer equals three hundred twenty
  21 dollars.
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         3. The amount of the tax credit claimed under this
  23 section shall not be deducted in computing the
  24 taxpayer's taxable income for state income tax
  25 purposes.
          4. Any credit in excess of the tax liability shall
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  27 be refunded with interest computed under section
  28 422.25. In lieu of claiming a refund, a taxpayer may
  29 elect to have the overpayment shown on the taxpayer's
  30 final, completed return credited to the tax liability
  31 for the following tax year.
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          5. An individual may claim the tax credit allowed
  33 a partnership, limited liability company, S
34 corporation, estate, or trust electing to have the
35 income taxed directly to the individual. The amount
  36 claimed by the individual shall be based upon the pro
  37 rata share of the individual's earnings of the
  38 partnership, limited liability company, S corporation,
1 39 estate, or trust.
1 40 6. This section is repealed January 1, 2012, for
  41 the tax years beginning on or after that date.
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          Sec. 2. Section 422.33, Code 2007, is amended by
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  43 adding the following new subsection:
  144 NEW SUBSECTION. 24. a. The taxes imposed under 45 this division shall be reduced by a commercial 46 property tax credit. To qualify for this credit, the 47 taxpayer shall have paid property tax during the tax
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  48 year levied on property that is assessed as improved
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  49 commercial property for property tax purposes, and the
  50 assessed value of such improved commercial property
   1 owned by the taxpayer does not exceed, in the
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   2 aggregate statewide, three hundred thousand dollars.
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         For purposes of this subsection, "improved
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   4 commercial property" means land containing one or more
   5 structures that are being put to productive use.
         b. The total amount of credit that may be claimed
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   7 by a taxpayer equals three hundred twenty dollars.
8 For corporations that file a consolidated Iowa return
  9 in accordance with section 422.37, each corporation 10 filing on the consolidated return that paid commercial
  11 property tax during the tax year may claim the maximum
  12 tax credit.
  13 c. The amount of the tax credit claimed under this 14 subsection shall not be deducted in computing the
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  15 taxpayer's taxable income for state income tax
  16 purposes. For corporations that file a consolidated
  17 Iowa return in accordance with section 422.37, each 18 corporation filing on the consolidated return that
  19 claimed the credit shall not deduct the amount of the
  20 tax credit claimed by it for state income tax
  21 purposes.
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        d. Any credit in excess of the tax liability shall
  23 be refunded with interest computed under section
  24 422.25. In lieu of claiming a refund, a taxpayer may
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